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For : DISPLAY DEVICE AND DISPLAY METHOD

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.112

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 7, 2006, in which the three-month shortened statutory period for responding thereto is extended from December 7, 2006 to January 8, 2007 (January 7, 2007 being a Sunday) by a request for a one month extension of time and payment of the appropriate extension of time fee, reconsideration and allowance of the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this Response.

An **Appendix** containing a verified translation of Japanese priority document 2000-206422 is attached following page 19 of this paper.